AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please cancel the originally-filed Abstract of the Disclosure, and add the accompanying new Abstract of the Disclosure which appears on a separate sheet in the Appendix.

Page 4, replace the paragraph, beginning on line 28, bridging pages 4 and 5, with the following amended paragraph:

--These objects are achieved by the present invention, which relates to a method for determining the value of the resonant frequency of a loaded resonant sensor in accordance with elaim 1 the present disclosure.--

Page 5, replace the paragraph, beginning on line 11, with the following amended paragraph:

--The invention further relates to a device for determining the value of the resonant frequency of a resonant sensor subject to a load, in accordance to claim 11.--